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GUATEMALA.

Quarantine Restrictions Against Cuba and Porto Rico on Account of Plague.

PALACE OF THE EXECUTIVE POWER, Guatemala, July 22, 1912.

As the reports received by the Government have been confirmed that bubonic plague has appeared in Habana and Porto Rico, therefore the constitutional president of the Republic decrees:

That the most rigorous quarantine be established for ships arriving

from the islands of Cuba and Porto Rico.

The authorities of the Atlantic ports of Guatemala shall put into operation to this end all the regulations prescribed by the Código Orgánico del Servicio de Salubridad Pública (Organic Statutes re. Public Health).

Let this be communicated.

ESTRADA C. J. Ed. Girón,

The Secretary of State in the Office of Public Instruction, in charge of the office of Government and Justice.

Quarantine Restrictions Against Panama and Ecuador on Account of Yellow Fever.

Palace of the Executive Power, Guatemala, July 22, 1912.

In view of the official reports received from Panama and Guaya-

quil, the constitutional president of the Republic decrees:

To consider arrivals from the Republics of Panama and Ecuador under suspicion of yellow fever. In view of this the authorities in the ports of Guatemala will establish the appropriate quarantine of the ships arriving from the said countries, to this effect observing the regulations prescribed by the Código Orgánico de Salubridad Pública (Organic Statutes re. Public Health).

Let this be communicated.

Estrada C. J. Ed. Girón,

The Secretary of State in the Office of Public Instruction, in charge of the Office of Government and Justice.

HAWAII.

Examination of Rodents for Plague Infection.

During the week ended July 13, 1912, 627 rats and mongoose were examined at Hilo and 1,649 at Honokaa. No plague infection was found.

The last case of human plague occurred at Honokaa March 15, 1912. The last plague-infected rat was found between Honokaa and Kapulena April 24, 1912.

INDIA.

Calcutta-Cholera-Plague-Smallpox.

Acting Asst. Surg. Allan reports cholera, plague, and smallpox as follows:

During the week ended June 15, 1912, 26 deaths from cholera, 27 from plague, and 4 from smallpox were reported at Calcutta; in